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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Messmer et al.)
Serial No.: 10/723,110) Group Art Unit: 2123
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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR OPTIMIZING) Examiner:
SIMULATION OF A DISCRETE EVENT PROCESS) Proctor, Jason Scott
USING BUSINESS SYSTEM DATA)

VIA EFS
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action made Final mailed February 1, 2008, Applicants respectfully submit that the remarks contained herein place the application in condition for allowance.